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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

We are submitting herewith the following:

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Authorization is hereby given to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (USYS.030PA).

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005, please consider the remarks that follow. Reconsideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

No amendments are made to the claims. However, for ease of reference a listing of claims is provided beginning page 2.

The Remarks begin on page 8.